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## **AMENDMENT**

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

## Dear Sir:

This Amendment is in response to the Office Action mailed on November 18, 2004. Accordingly, please cancel claims 14, 22, 23, 25, 36, 37 without prejudice and amend claims 15, 18, 19, 24, 26, 29-32 and 38 as follows: